

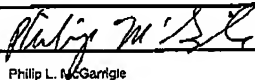
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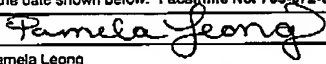
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Serial No: 10/033,195

Art Unit No.: 1637

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Title: **Nucleotides and Analogs
Having Photoremovable Protecting
Groups**

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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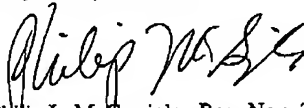
In response to the September 1, 2004 Restriction Requirement, the Examiner is requiring an election between the following group of claims:

- I. Claims 57-73, drawn to a compound having photoremovable protecting group;
- II. Claim 74, drawn to a method for activating a terminal nucleotide.

Applicants hereby elect without traverse of the invention of Group I, Claims 57-73.
Applicants reserve the right to re-present non-elected claims in a divisional, or other related application.

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